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Shao Xiang Lu	:	
Application No.:	10/816,574	: Group Art Unit: 1616
Filed:	April 1, 2004	: Examiner: A. Soroush
For:	COSMETIC COMPOSITIONS CONTAINING	:
	SWELLED SILICONE ELASTOMER	:
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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION**

Dear Sir:

In response to the official action mailed December 11, 2007, applicant submits the following amendments and remarks.